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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

RICHARD ROY SCOTT,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

MARK SELING; et al.,

Defendants - Appellees.

No. 05-35036

D.C. No. CV-04-05147-RJB

MEMORANDUM^{*}

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Washington
Robert J. Bryan, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted July 22, 2008^{**}

Before: B. FLETCHER, THOMAS, and WARDLAW, Circuit Judges.

Richard Roy Scott appeals pro se from the district court's judgment
dismissing his 42 U.S.C. § 1983 action alleging violations of his civil rights in

^{*} This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent
except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

^{**} The panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without
oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

connection with his detainment in the Washington State Special Commitment Center. We have jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1291. We review de novo. *Navarro v. Block*, 72 F.3d 712, 714 (9th Cir. 1995). We affirm.

Scott advances no argument challenging the district court's dismissal of the action. We therefore deem any challenge to the judgment abandoned. *See Indep. Towers of Wash. v. Washington*, 350 F.3d 925, 929 (9th Cir. 2003) (explaining that issues not argued on appeal are deemed abandoned).

AFFIRMED.